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Enclosed is an amendment to the above-identified application.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Paid For	Number Extra Claims	Small Entity Rate	Large Entity Rate	FEE
Total Claims Fee	7	*20	0	x \$25.00	0 x \$50.00	.00
Independent Claims	2	**3	0	x \$105.00	0 x \$210.00	.00
Multiple Dependent Claims ***				\$185.00	\$370.00	.00
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LIST INDEPENDENT CLAIMS: 1, 13						
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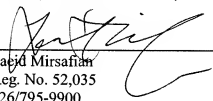
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Respectfully submitted,

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